THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE GOPALA KRISHNA TAMADA

WRIT PETITION No.33148 of 1998

Dated : 21.03.2007

Between:

N.S.P. workers & Employees Union,
Left Canal Wing, Jaggaiahpet,
represented by its General Secretary T.Venkataramulu
and another.

… **PETITIONERS**

And:

Government of A.P., rep., by its Principal Secretary
to Governemnt, Irrigation & CAD (Ser.V) Department,
Secretariat, Hyderabad and another.

….**RESPONDENTS**

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ORDER:

First petitioner is the Workers & Employees Union, representing the workers at left canal wing, Jaggaiahpet, and the second petitioner is the Work Inspector, working at Tripuraram Mandal of Nalgonda

District, in the Irrigation & Command Area Development Department. They question the action of the respondents in inserting clause 5 in G.O.Ms.No.337 Irrigation & CAD (SER.V) Department, dated 12.10.1998, whereunder, for payment of salaries, the work inspectors shall produce a certificate of the concerned President of the farmers organization to the effect that they have attended to duty during the month.

As this matter relates to service conditions, this court is of the view that the appropriate forum is the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad, and therefore, the writ petition is misconceived.

Accordingly the writ petition is dismissed granting liberty to the petitioners to approach the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad, within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Till then, the interim suspension granted by this Court on 27.11.1998 in W.P.M.P.No.4074 of 1998 shall be in operation. There shall be no order as to costs.

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21.03.2007

Note: Furnish C.C. in three days.

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